



Monday 27th April 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

Home Learning

We are continuing to work to provide the best possible learning for your children while we are not able to be at school and wanted to update you on how this is evolving.

We have three parts to our strategy:

1. We share
2. We talk
3. You share

We share:

Our website is where we continue to share all the learning for your child each week. The plans available from this week for all subjects will cover new content and concepts which we would be delivering if the children were in school. I outline our approach on a video to you which you will find on our home page: <https://www.q1e.co.uk/home-learning/>

We talk:

Teachers are also making a weekly phone call to you to talk with you and your children to hear from you and support with the home learning.

You share:

We are continuing to explore and develop the best ways for sharing children's work with the teachers. We know how important the children and teacher interaction is for the learning and have been encouraged by how well our pilots worked to engage more children. We will review this over the coming days. Your support in this is greatly appreciated.

There is a new **parent video guide** explaining the learning and how to get the most out of the website on the home learning page. <https://www.q1e.co.uk/home-learning/>

Learning Sequence

All the learning is being planned carefully to build up week on week, so it really is important to complete work set and follow the learning in order to ensure it makes sense to the children. There are significant numbers of videos and support materials linked within plans so do please check these as they will help explain the task and engage the children. Previous learning pages will remain on the website for you to refer back to.

English and Maths

We have built into our maths and English learning the approaches and the elements the children would have at school and will be familiar with. If your child requires further support, there is a separate plan to have a look at. Further guidance explaining the plans is available [here for maths](#) and [here for English](#).

Wider Curriculum

These plans are also build up week on week and will give the variety of learning the children would experience in school. For years 1- 6 there will be weekly learning for **science, history, geography and PE** and alternate weeks for **art, design technology, music, computing RE, languages**. For Early Years the curriculum will be varied as it would be in school following the areas of learning set out for Early Years.

Assemblies

This term we have started adding two assemblies each week which are available on the website.

Please be assured we will continue to work on the best provision we can in home learning. We are very grateful for your continued support.

Yours,

John Grove